

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

NICHOLAS STERLING LITTLE,

Petitioner,

v.

RONALD HAYNES,

Respondent.

Case No. C20-1071-TSZ-MLP

ORDER

This is a federal habeas action filed under 28 U.S.C. § 2254. On July 21, 2020, Petitioner filed his habeas petition, which this Court directed service on August 26, 2020. (Dkt. ## 6, 10.) After two extensions of time to file, Respondent filed his answer and the state court record on December 18, 2020. (Dkt. # 24.) On February 2, 2021, Petitioner filed his reply, and Petitioner's habeas petition will be ripe for this Court's review on February 11, 2021. (Dkt. # 42.) However, since the submission of his reply, Petitioner has additionally filed: (1) a motion for discovery (dkt. # 43), noted for February 19, 2021; (2) a motion for summary judgment (dkt. # 44), noted for February 26, 2021; and (3) a motion for sanctions (dkt. # 46), noted for February 26, 2021.

Accordingly, the Court deems it appropriate to direct the Clerk to RE-NOTE Petitioner's: (1) petition (dkt. # 24); (2) motion for discovery (dkt. # 43); (3) motion for summary judgment

1 (dkt. # 44); and (4) motion for sanctions (dkt. # 46) all to be heard concurrently on **February 26,**  
2 **2021.** Respondent may file response briefs to Petitioner's motions by **February 22, 2021,** and  
3 Petitioner may file reply briefs by the noting date.

4 The Clerk is further directed to send copies of this Order to the parties and to the  
5 Honorable Thomas S. Zilly.

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7 Dated this 10th day of February, 2021.

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10 United States Magistrate Judge  
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